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Sir:

In compliance with the duty imposed by 37 C.F.R. §1.56, and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.97 et seq., the materials enclosed herewith are brought to the attention of the Examiner as possibly being of interest in connection with the above-identified patent Enclosed for the Examiner's information is a copy of the corresponding International Search Report. The documents cited in the International Search Report are listed on the attached 1449 form(s). Consideration of each of the documents listed on the attached 1449 form(s) is respectfully requested. Pursuant to the provisions of M.P.E.P. §609, Applicant further requests that a copy of the 1449 form(s), marked as being considered and initialed by the Examiner, be returned with the next Official Communication.

Since this Information Disclosure Statement is submitted after the receipt of an Office Action in the above-identified patent application, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p) of \$180.00 to ZymoGenetics, Inc. Deposit Account No. 26-0290. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 26-0290.

The Examiner is invited to contact the Undersigned at the below-listed telephone number, if there are any questions concerning this paper or the attached references.

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